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Applicant: Services Pétroliers Schlumberger et al.
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 13, 2008

Sir:

This is the Response to the Office Action dated August 13, 2008. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.